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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Stephane Menard, et al.

Serial No.: 09/596,876

Filed: June 19, 2000

For: BISTABLE SWITCH WITH SHAPE  
MEMORY METAL

Group Art Unit: 2835

Examiner: Vortman, A.

Confirmation No.: 5658

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN  
APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37  
C.F.R. 1.137(b)**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted with a Petition for Revival. The Examiner is hereby acknowledged and thanked for the notice of allowable subject matter as detailed in the Advisory action. Appropriate amendments in response to this notice have been made in order to place the claims into proper form for allowance. As required under revised 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, both clean and marked-up versions of the amended claims have been added, and these are attached as Appendices A and B respectively. The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider the remaining claims in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION DATED February 3, 2003

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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This is in response to the Advisory action dated February 3, 2003 having a shortened statutory period for response that expired on May 3, 2003. The Examiner is hereby acknowledged and thanked for the notice of allowable subject matter as detailed in the Advisory action. Appropriate amendments in response to this notice have been made in order to place allowable subject matter into proper form for allowance. As required under revised 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, both clean and marked-up versions of the amended claims have been added, and these are attached as Appendices A and B respectively. The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider the remaining claims in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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